

# Recommendation for Council Action (CMD)

Austin City Council Item ID: 16084 Agenda Number 23.

Meeting Date: June 28, 2012

Department: Contract Management

### Subject

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the professional services agreement with CAS CONSULTING AND SERVICES, INC (MBE/MA-94.36%), for additional engineering services for the Airport at Chesterfield Wastewater Improvements project in the amount of \$26,708, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$1,099,669.

## Amount and Source of Funding

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Capital Budget of the Austin Water Utility.

### Fiscal Note

### A fiscal note is attached.

Purchasing Language:	
Prior Council Action:	May 26, 2011 - Council approved additional authorization for design phase services; March 6, 2008 - Council approved a professional services contract.
For More Information:	Connie Smith 974-7274; Susan Garnett 974-7064; April Shaw 974-7141.
Boards and Commission Action:	Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission.
Related Items:	
MBE / WBE:	This contract was awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9B of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) with 25.93% MBE and 15.09% WBE subconsultant participation to date.
Additional Backup Information	

This project upgrades the wastewater interceptor system in the Upper West Waller Creek basin to address overflows, capacity concerns, and proposed redevelopment. Approximately 13,500 feet of 6-inch, 8-inch, and 15-inch diameter wastewater line will be replaced and new wastewater lines ranging in diameter from 12-inch to 24-inch will be constructed. Work will occur on Guadalupe from Airport Boulevard to 55 1/2 Street, and in Chesterfield from Airport Boulevard to 55 1/2 Street, continuing south through easements to 47th Street. This project is primarily located along residential streets and Upper Waller Creek, where some creek restoration will be performed.

This additional authorization is for design services to upgrade water lines in Leralynn and Guadalupe Streets. On Leralynn Street from 51st Street to Zennia Street, the existing 6-inch cast iron main will be abandoned and replaced by approximately 330 linear feet of 8-inch PVC. On Guadalupe Street from Kenniston Drive to St. Johns Avenue , the existing 2-inch galvanized main will be abandoned and replaced by approximately 1300 linear feet of 8-inch PVC. The design will include replacing water services.

These waterlines are being replaced for several reasons. There have been many breaks due to the age of the pipes. The current lines are too small and need to be upgraded to larger pipe. Installing these new pipes will also remedy direct service taps on large diameter lines.

This project is located within zip codes 78752, 78753 and 78756 and is managed by the Public Works Department.

CAS Consulting and Services, Inc. is located in Austin, TX.